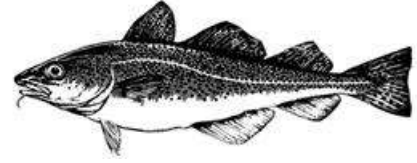


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**2014 South Alaska Peninsula Area State-Waters Pacific Cod
Jig Gear Season Opening**

The National Weather Service (NWS) 48-hour marine weather forecast for Area 155 issued at 4:00 a.m. Thursday, March 20, 2014 did not contain gale warnings. Therefore, the South Alaska Peninsula Area state-waters Pacific cod season for jig vessels **will open** at 12:00 noon on Thursday, March 20, 2014.

Participants are advised that the master of each vessel is ultimately responsible for the safety of the vessel.

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